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From: David Shofi/*Redacted* /  
Subject: Disclosure YOR8-2000-0738 "Method and Apparatus for Independent Filtering of E-Commerce Transactions"

The above disclosure has been rated FILE.

Please refer to the above disclosure number in all correspondence relating to this matter.

As we agreed at the invention disclosure meeting yesterday, John (as lead inventor) will complete a written, detailed description of a preferred embodiment of the invention, including at least a system block diagram and a flow diagram. Remember to incorporate the alternate business method embodiments that we discussed with or without drawings. **Please send the embodiment to me in WordPro format, if possible (and the drawings in Freelance if possible).**

Please forward to me any information that may have a bearing on the patentability of your invention, including prior art publications by you or others.

**I understand that there have not any public disclosures, offers for sale or other activities which would bring about a bar to filing an application nor are any expected. If this changes, please let me know ASAP!**

**In order to guarantee filing of a patent application by the March 31, 2001 Business Method Incentive deadline, please provide me with the embodiment by November 30, 2000.**

Call me if you have any questions.

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Exhibit B